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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**

In re:

GABAPENTIN PATENT LITIGATION

MDL Docket No. 1384  
Master Civil Action No. 00-2931 (FSH)

In re:

NEURONTIN ANTITRUST LITIGATION

MDL Docket No. 1479  
Master Civil Action No. 02-1390 (FSH)

This Document Relates to:  
EON LABS MANUFACTURING, INC.  
(now known As Eon Labs, Inc.)  
and SANDOZ, INC.

C.A. No. 01-CV-2194 (FSH)

**[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANT EON LABS MANUFACTURING,  
INC./SANDOZ INC. LEAVE TO FILE FIRST AMENDED ANSWER, AFFIRMATIVE  
DEFENSES AND COUNTERCLAIMS**

THIS MATTER having been brought before the Court by application of Defendant Eon Labs Manufacturing, Inc. and Sandoz, Inc., for an Order granting them leave to file a First

Amended Answer, Affirmative Defenses and Counterclaims in this proceeding; and the Court

having considered <sup>the governing law and</sup> all papers submitted herewith, including the accompanying Memorandum of

Law; and it appearing that Plaintiffs will not be prejudiced by the Court granting this application; <sup>and the proceedings will not be delayed</sup>

<sup>and the chambers of the undersigned being telephonically advised on</sup> and for good cause shown, <sup>December 16, 2009 that there is no opposition to the motion</sup>

IT IS on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2009, hereby ORDERED that: <sup>The motion of</sup>

<sup>for</sup> Eon Labs Manufacturing, Inc./Sandoz, Inc have leave to amend their Answer, <sup>[C.N.N 20-2931 Docket No 730 and Civ No 01-2144, Docket No 64] is granted</sup> Affirmative Defenses and Counterclaims; and Eon Labs, Inc. And Sandoz, Inc.'s First Amended

Answer, Affirmative Defenses, And Counterclaims To Plaintiffs' First Amended And

Supplemental Complaint For Patent Infringement <sup>shall be filed no later than</sup> is entered in this action.

<sup>December 23, 2009</sup>

  
HONORABLE PATTY SHWARTZ  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE